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Report Regular Meeting of Town Council

At a meeting of the town council Mayor W. Sutermeister and Councillors R. Wilson, R. Hunter, N. Anderson and M. Murray were present. Councillor Anderson stated that the rink this year had practically cleared expenses but had not made enough to take care of the insurance.

Mr. Richards, the picture show man, stated to the meeting that he would like some relief from rents for the hall. The council could not consider any at the present time. Mr. Richards asked if they would consider \$35 a month. The council told him that the \$35 a month was only set so that he could get started and after that the rent was to be \$50 per month. He then asked about repairs to the doors, checking up the wiring and painting the rotunda of the hall. The council assured him that this would be attended to.

Mr. Richards stated he would like to have an agreement for two years and would possibly change the days for showing pictures from Friday and Saturday to some other two days of the week. The council told him that would be satisfactory to them and that a new agreement would be written up and the change definitely mentioned in the agreement.

A number of applications for sewer and water connections were submitted. These applications were turned over to the respective committees and will be brought in at the next meeting.

It was decided that the eight acres north of the school would be rented for \$25 this year and is to be paid in advance. This land is for pasture only and no irrigation water is to be used on the ground.

There was objection registered to poles and other material being dumped on town lots. It was decided to write the parties concerned advising them to remove this material off the lanes and town properties.

O. K. Crossett made application to dump bones in the west end of the town. The council advised Mr. Crossett it had no objection provided the residents in that area do not object. If the residents of the west end will give him permission in writing and he turns these over to the council permission will be granted.

An application had been received from the chief instructor of the Gleichen Cadets for permission to use the Community Hall on Thursday nights for the purpose of Cadet work. The matter was turned over to the hall committee for their consideration and they are to report back at the next meeting of the Councillors.

It was suggested that a schedule of rates to be charged for the hall be gone into. The matter was turned over to the hall committee to look into and report back at the next meeting.

The police report for the last three months were submitted. The secretary was instructed to write the Advisory Construction Company to ascertain when they will be back in Gleichen to finish the new water system.

Red Cross

The committee in charge of the local Canadian Red Cross Society campaign for funds take this opportunity of expressing their grateful thanks and appreciation to every person who in any way helped to make the campaign successful. The objective of \$500 was reached and forwarded to Alberta Division at Calgary.

Our sincere thanks go to the faithful canvassers of this district namely: Mrs. N. McMillan and members of the local UFW; Mrs. Geo. McBean; Mrs. R. Burne; Mrs. S. Duncan; Mrs. D. Yule, Jr.; Mrs. R. Wilson; Mrs. C. McIntyre; Mrs. W. Pugh; Mrs. M. Bollinger and members of the United Church W.A.; Harvey Bogstie; W. Blaney; A. W. Gilbert who acted as treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,
DOROTHY DESHAYES
Canadian Red Cross representative
Alberta Division

Great Bear Lake in Northwest Territories is about twice as large as Lake Ontario and 4,000 square miles larger than Lake Erie.



Dorothy Jane Goulding and her devoted cocker spaniel who sometimes accompanies her to the CBC studios for her Kindergarten of the

Air, which is heard Monday to Friday at 10:30 a.m. More often she stays home and listens to the program with Dorothy Jane's two-year-old daughter.

Ladies Auxiliary Have Meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Gleichen Legion held their regular meeting in the Legion Hall, Thursday evening, with a good attendance. President Mrs. R. Oliver presided over the meeting and usual business was conducted. A new brief case had been purchased for the secretary Mrs. Sherback. The per capita tax paid. A new member, Mrs. E. Cousin, was initiated.

A letter was read from Mr. J. Henshaw, secretary of the Gleichen Canadian Legion, thanking the Auxiliary for the \$50 donated to the Legion.

Mrs. Oliver thanked the ladies for nominating her to attend the Legion convention June 13 to 15. Regular fee and delegate expenses were voted to be paid.

The annual lilac tea will be held in June.

Before adjourning Harvey Bogstie gave a talk on the Legion putting in a canteen in the Legion Hall and the way it was planned to manage same.

The contest was won by Mrs. Hutton. After the march of dimes a friendly social coffee and tea hour followed.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Florence E. Moersch, a resident of the Cluny district for many years died in the Medicine Hat hospital Sunday morning at the age of 53 years after a short illness.

Mrs. Moersch, who was born in Gleichen, with the exception of about five years spent at the coast had lived in the district all her life. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Telford. Taken ill about two weeks ago she was removed to the Bassano hospital and latter to Medicine Hat.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter Mrs. D. J. Bigelow, and one son Kenneth both of Cluny, six brothers and five sisters.

Rev. A. D. Pringle will conduct funeral services for Mrs. Moersch in the United Church tomorrow, Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. after which interment will be made in the Gleichen cemetery.

Correspondence

Editor Call:

Because of the proximity of the Indian Reservation Gleichen is not in immediate danger of becoming a ghost town but the prospective loss of the high school will seriously affect the influx of new citizens and will prevent the holding of some already here. Two and possibly three families are already known to be contemplating departure from our midst.

Surely a town that can sell debentures for a water system can take similar action for necessary educational purposes.

This deserves the action of every citizen.

A. D. PRINGLE.

Miss M. Bollinger has returned home after an extensive visit in the United States.

Mrs. G. T. Jones was taken ill Thursday night and on Friday was removed to a Calgary hospital.

Elect Officers Annual Meeting Board of Trade

The annual Board of Trade banquet meeting and election of officers was held in the Queens Hotel last Thursday evening. Some thirty people attended the banquet. At the opening of the meeting Vice-President Bob spoke briefly.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

R. W. Brown—president.
H. Bogstie—vice-president.
R. W. Blick—sec'y-treasurer.

Mr. P. Rogers and Mr. Colpoys were kind enough to meet the Board and give a report on the subject of the Gleichen school district entering the Bow Valley Division. Their talk was very enlightening to the members and the subject brought some discussion on the relative merits or demerits of such a plan. Following this discussion a committee was appointed to investigate the advisability of joining the big unit. This committee consists of R. K. Hunter, chairman; R. Fiddes and M. Murray, Jr.

On the motion of C. Hatton the Board is to sponsor a public meeting to discuss joining the school division. At the meeting the education committee will have its report and be ready to make recommendations.

C. Hatton was placed in charge of the swimming pool for this summer.

A transportation committee was appointed and consists of P. Deshayes, chairman; Rev. Pringle; W. Schmidt and R. K. Hunter.

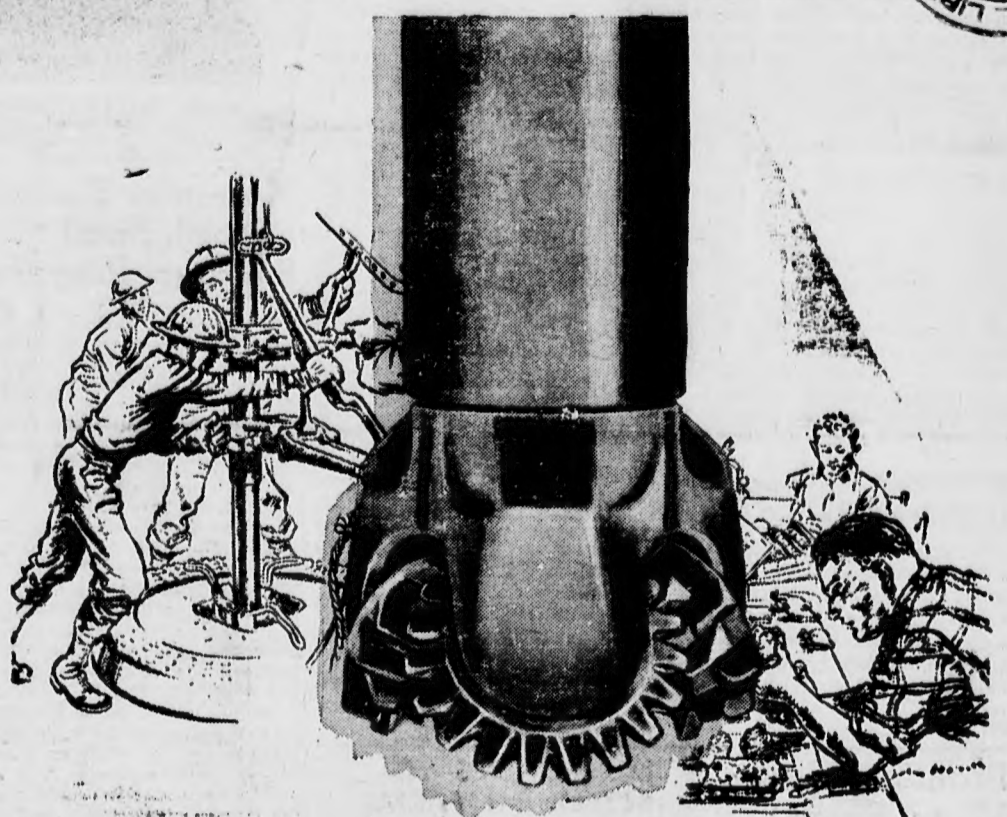
This committee has the authority from the Board to contact the parties responsible for the road crossing the Indian reserve and recommend action to be taken to put the road in good condition.

On motion of Mr. J. A. McArthur the secretary was instructed to write the Department of Public Works, Edmonton, regarding the feeder roads from No. 1 highway to the town of Gleichen. The board recommended that the department purchase one rod on each side of the road and regrade the stretch, building it up and putting it in good shape before it is turned over to the municipality for maintenance. A telegram to the same effect was sent just before the letter.

A sports committee was appointed and consists of W. Blaney, chairman; K. McPhee; T. Froggatt; V. Green; B. Buhr and K. Williams. This committee is to meet prior to the next meeting of the Board and will recommend what action if any to take regarding tennis court May 24th sports, ball diamond, race meet and rodeo.

It was decided that the regular meeting of the organization will be the first Thursday of each month. Notices are to be mailed to each member notifying them of the meeting. A rubber stamp is to be purchased for the purpose of notification.

Leo Woods, the local painter, had the misfortune to slip off the veranda roof of J. O. Bogstie's house while painting it. He escaped injuries even though he landed in a sitting position. On the way down he lost his cap and on top of his head landed a can of red paint. Judging by reports he must have been a sight to behold. He spent the rest of the day trying to get the paint out of his locks.



The future lies at the point of the drill

The names of Canada's new oil fields have been heard from coast to coast . . . Leduc, Woodbend, Redwater.

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The successes of the past two years have been possible because there were people willing to go on risking millions in the search in spite of repeated disappointments.

Now, after the barren years that went before, these new fields seem large—and they are large! But they are far from enough to make Canada self-sufficient.

Canada is still dependent on foreign countries for more than 80 per cent of her oil and so her own resources must be developed. Exploration must be continued. More and more wells must be drilled so that markets can be expanded.

There is not yet enough oil to justify the big investments that will be needed if all Canadians are to enjoy the fullest benefits of western resources. Pipe lines, for instance, cost a lot to build; but over the years they provide low-cost transportation—so necessary to reach out to wider markets. The Edmonton-Regina line planned by Imperial is but a beginning.

Further discoveries are the only means of breaking through the distance barriers that hem prairie oil with transportation costs. The future lies at the point of the drill.

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Social Progress

THE UNSETTLED CONDITIONS which prevail in the world today have caused many people to forget that in spite of wars and periods of economic adversity notable progress in matters which are of great importance to the welfare of humanity has been made during the past thirty years. In most countries, during that time, definite advances have been made in the field of social legislation and in spite of disruptions caused by great national and international crisis, the welfare of the average citizen has become a matter of increasing importance to many governments. During that time, too, a number of great social injustices have been righted.

New Welfare Laws Passed

In Canada, conceptions of social welfare have changed considerably in the last thirty years. Before the First Great War, workmen's compensation measures had been introduced, as well as legislation for unemployment insurance. During that war, the first provisions for mothers' allowances were made, to be followed in the 1920's by laws providing for old age pensions, and for pensions for the blind. Great advancement has been made in this period, too, in the important matter of child care. During the years of drought on the Prairies, when many farmers had their incomes cut off because of that disaster, relief was provided. There have also been the measures passed for the welfare and re-establishment of veterans of both wars, and more recently, the trend toward continued social legislation has been evident in the introduction of family allowances and increased expenditures for public health.

Advances Made In Short Time

A recent issue of "Canadian Welfare" an official publication of the Canadian Welfare Council draws attention to the progress which has been made in welfare work here in a comparatively short period of time. In 1924, it is pointed out in the report, the entire amount spent on social welfare in Canada, by provincial, federal and municipal governments was \$85,000,000 while now the annual expenditure for this work is close to \$850,000,000. It is evident from these facts that in spite of the adverse conditions which have been experienced in many matters, slow but steady advancement has been made in the very important field of human welfare and there will no doubt be continued efforts to improve living and working conditions for the people as long as such needs exist.

Brandon Horse Wins Event

REGINA.—Bouncing Buster from the Lilla-Gord stables at Brandon, Man., showed he still had youth in his bones despite his 19 years as he swept to victory in the featured Eilers challenge trophy jumping event of the Regina Light Horse show. With Gord Williamson up, Buster had the crowd of 4,000 cheering wildly as he leaped through the intricate and hazardous course twice for a clear-cut victory over Cool Customer, candidate of the Kelvin Grove Farms, Calgary. The two horses had to jump off for first place with rails heightened after tying the first jump.

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GRAND CHAMPION SHORTHORN — With daughter Helen at the halter, here is Gold Galore grand champion Shorthorn bull at Kamloops Sale, entered by James Turner, Royal Oak, Victoria, B.C.

Manitoba Plans Record Road Building Program

WINNIPEG.—A record road building program to cost an estimated \$7,175,000, is planned for Manitoba in 1949.

The cost will be met by drawing \$2 millions from current revenues, the balance out of capital account. Biggest item is the expenditure on the Winnipeg-Emerson highway which brings into Manitoba the majority of tourists from the United States. The grade for part of it was built last year and \$841,590 is provided to finish the grade for a 26-mile stretch north from Emerson and \$1,169,760 to concrete surface the grade built last year. Concrete surfacing of the grade built this year will be done in 1950.

Another major item is \$987,650 for surfacing part of the Trans-Canada highway west from Brandon to the Saskatchewan boundary. The provinces are still awaiting word whether the Dominion government will make any contribution to building the Trans-Canada but Manitoba is proceeding with its program in any event.

FUNNY And OTHERWISE

"Shine your boots, guv'nor?"
"No."
"Shine your boots so yer can see your face in them."
"No."
"Well, I don't blame yer."

The little boy was asked:
"Do you want meat?"
"Yes."
"And potatoes?"
"Yes."
"And beetroot?"
"Yes."
"What other little word have you forgotten?"
And back came the firm answer: "Cabbage."

Mistress: "Goodness, Jane, where's the canary?"
Jane: "I dunno, Mum. It was there when I started on its cage with the vacuum cleaner."

A love-lorn sailor decided to celebrate pay day by sending a telegram to his girl. After chomping on his pencil for several minutes he finally handed in a message that read: "I love you, I love you."
The counter clerk read it and said: "You're allowed to add an other word for the same price."
The sailor pondered for several minutes and then added his extra word. It was: "Regards."

"I always lie awake for an hour after going to bed, and this gets on my nerves. Can you suggest a remedy?" asked a panel patient of his doctor.
"Yes. Go to bed an hour later."

It was after the opera. The expensively-dressed woman approached the broad-shouldered man. "If I am not mistaken," she said, "I have the honor of speaking to the renowned bass, have I not?"

He felt flattered. "And what can I do for you, madam?"
"I can't find my car," she answered pleasantly. "Would you be so kind as to call out 'Charlie' at the top of your voice?"

"I doubt if your eyes are strong enough to get you a driver's licence," said the optician. "Sit here and tell me how many letters you can read on the number plate of that car outside."

"What car?" said the would-be motorist.

Placing Reindeer In Eskimo Care

OTTAWA.—New efforts are being made to place reindeer under the management of Eskimos in the Mackenzie Delta region of the Northwest Territories, Resources Minister MacKinnon said.

Since last December two trained Eskimo herders, with two apprentice herders, had managed reindeer in the Eskimo lakes area under department supervision. The government maintains a reindeer station at Aklayik, N.W.T., and hopes to interest other Eskimos in reindeer management.

Reindeer were introduced into northern Canada in 1935 to provide Eskimo and Indians with a means of livelihood in addition to the northern game resources on which they depend. The animals are a valuable source of food and clothing.

The original herd of 2,370 reindeer was established on a selected range on the east side of the Mackenzie delta and in last summer's roundup some 6,600 reindeer were counted.

To Feel Right — Eat Right

WOMEN WILL NEVER LEARN TO OPERATE MOTORCYCLES

VANCOUVER.—Stick to back-seat driving, ladies, you'll never learn how to operate motorcycles.

So says Edward Turner, official of a British motorcycle company, who is busy selling his product across the Dominion.

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That Last Look --

A Man's Gotta Stand and Fight?

By ROY V. PRICE

TERRIFYING fear swept through her as Grace stood looking out the door down the rough path toward the swamp. "But, Ben, he's coming!" Her voice was scarcely above a whisper.

"Doggone the skunk!" Ben snarled. "I'll show 'im who's the coward!"

Grace's eyes were glued on the double-barrelled shotgun across her husband's knees on the back seat of the little log farmhouse. She shivered more when she thought about the poor shot Ben was on account of his eyes.

For short range of Ben's better. Possee is securing every foot of the

section with bloodhounds. They'll get 'im, shore!"

"I knowed somethin' like this was bound to happen!" That's what she said me big you so not to let the sheriff about it," she said.

"Logic will prove I done the only right thing a decent, honest man could do!"

Burning his trap lines, Ben had come upon Elmer Rake and another man buying something in the swamp. Ben had heard their plans for robbing the bank. The sheriff had caught the two in the act. Ben recovered the loot from other boys.

"Even the pen couldn't hold his likes," Grace moaned.

"I did for more'n six years until he shot his way out." Ben shot an other glance at the swamp. "An' a different term'll be waiting for the skunk."

"Jist 'cause he called you a 'snake' in 'coward' an' said he'd get you 'n' no reason for you to stand out 'n' be the reason for his shot down."

"I'll face 'im, man to man. If he raises his gun, I'll shoot. That's the way of doing things with a snake."

Before Grace could reply, her fact turned white. She saw a figure coming out o' the tullel trees in the swamp ... nearer ... nearer ...

Forcing back a scream, she watched the bedraggled Rake standing a few yards from Ben.

Holding his shotgun with trigger readiness, Rake snarled, "You won't rat on nobody else, you sneaking coward!"

"Git off my place!"

Suddenly, Rake lost his sneer, stiffened.

The eternity of each second squeezed at Grace's throat as she watched from within.

Rake cast a wild, despairing stare at Ben, then lowered his gun and stepped back.

The quiet was broken by the roaring of a pack of bloodhounds ... voices of men behind them ...

Grace stepped to the door. Rake was in full flight, headed toward the swamp. Suddenly he stopped, raised his hands ...

"Three men stepped from behind trees ...

Ben's voice, "Ya see, honey, a man's got to stand 'n' fight!"

Grace knew he would never guess why Rake had backed down; because he had looked into the cabin over Ben's shoulder, and stepped into the muzzle of her rifle.

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LONDON.—Britons' heads are swelling, say hatters. The average Briton 30 years ago took size 6½ in hats. After the First World War he took size seven; now he takes 7½.

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BEGINNING TO PLY

VICTORIA, B.C.—Patience Bridge across the Fraser River on the Trans-Canada Highway—in New Westminster which cost \$4,000,000 to build made net revenue of \$452,100 from tolls last year. Its early years it did not pay, but now deficits are being wiped out.

FOUR CENT CHEQUE

TORONTO.—Norman Savi said he received a compulsory savings cheque for four cents which cost the government 12 cents to send by registered letter.

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Prairies Need Good Spring Rains For Crop

WINNIPEG.—Early good spring rains will have to fall on the prairie wheat belt, as the average crop is to be harvested this season.

Moisture reserves, estimated last fall at 44 per cent, of normal for stubble and summer fallow land combined are at a low level, and will only be made up by better than average rains.

According to an estimate published by the Seale grain company, summer fallow reserves average 87 per cent, of normal for prairies; stubble moisture only amounts to 41 per cent.

In the United States the picture is different. Most unofficial agencies report favorable conditions over most of the winter wheat belt, and the United States agriculture department's bureau of agricultural economics state that there has been very little winter kill.

The American wheat is sown on the largest acreage on record, four per cent, larger than the record 78,000,000 acres planted in 1947. The United States corn acreage for 1948, as indicated in the agriculture department's report on intentions to plant, will be the smallest in 50 years.

Crosses seem to think winter is over and have dared to come out and see if spring is really here. This young lady is taking a good look to make sure it's the real thing.

Western Briefs

WOMEN SCORE VICTORY

CALGARY.—Women residing in the three prairie provinces have scored another victory in their drive for equal status with the menfolk. R. B. Henderson of Winnipeg, an official of Henderson Directories Ltd. said that when new city directories are published, housewives will be listed along with their husbands. The firm publishes directories for all major centres between Fort William, Ont., and Calgary.

TO SPONSOR FIELD MEET

FOAM LAKE, Sask.—Field meet sponsored by the Foam Lake teachers' local will be held May 30. D. E. Mader, J. Patrick and E. Ridgeway of Foam Lake will act as the grounds committee. Misses V. Reynolds and M. Smith will obtain the award ribbon.

POTATOES SHIPPED

ASHROFT, B.C.—Forty-eight cars of potatoes have been shipped from Ashcroft and district to coast markets by the local branch of the Vegetable Marketing Board under direction of Mike Leigh, manager.

FISH EGGS FOR LAKE

LUNDAR, Man.—Three million whitefish eggs arrived here recently from the Dauphin River hatchery under the supervision of Charlie Watson of the department of game and fisheries. The eggs are to be placed in Lake Manitoba near the Owen Creek hatchery, west of Lundar.

SAFETY TESTING DEPT

WINNIPEG.—A Winnipeg chamber of commerce plan to set up in the city a safety testing depot for motors upon approval by the Suburban Municipal association. Delegates will refer the proposal to their councils.

WOLVES ANNOY TEACHER

LUNDAR, Man.—H. M. Marcroft, game warden in the Interlake area, has received orders from the department of game and fisheries to go to the Darwin district to check wolves which are annoying a school teacher going to and from school.

IMPLEMENT SALES

BRANDON, Man.—Implement sales in Manitoba last year were five times the total for the whole of Canada in a depression year, Alex Thompson, editor of the Canadian implement journal, said here.

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Spring Has Sprung!

Wong, a restaurateur owner in Saskatoon, is at Bella Coolla, 260 miles north of Vancouver, confident he will find the bones of his grandfather, who died almost 30 years ago.

With the help of Indian cannery workers who remember his grandfather's death Wong expects to fulfill his mission.

HAVANA, Cuba.—Canada has just bought a residence for \$82,500 for its legation in Cuba.

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BELLA COOLLA, B.C.—It has taken 25 years so far—and it may take longer—but Chinese restaurateur Wong Wing believes he is going to take his deceased grandfather back across the Pacific to join his ancestors.

Wong, a restaurateur owner in Saskatoon, is at Bella Coolla, 260 miles north of Vancouver, confident he will find the bones of his grandfather, who died almost 30 years ago.

With the help of Indian cannery workers who remember his grandfather's death Wong expects to fulfill his mission.

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Town & District

All the local churches were well attended Sunday for the Easter services.

Mr. and Mrs. Yule of Calgary spent the week end in town visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.

O. Bogert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Busby are confined to their home with severe colds. They celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary last Monday.

W. J. Phyllis, the town secretary, was taken to Col. Becher Hospital in Calgary one day last week. He has not been enjoying the best of health for sometime. His

friends hope to see him around again soon.

Miss Joy Stutemeyer who is attending school at Banff is spending the holiday season in town visiting her parents.

Mrs. Stewart, mother of Mrs. N. Anderson, is doing nicely after her recent operation at the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary.

The ladies of St. Andrew's Church will be thankful to those who helped in any way to make their tea and sale of home cooking such a success.

Lloyd Biddell who is attending school in Edmonton is spending the holiday season in town visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Biddell.

Donald Hunter of Calgary is spending the holiday in town visiting his relatives and friends. He is attending school in the city.

Just a few of the local ardent hockey fans journeyed to Calgary to witness the hockey game played there Saturday night. All report it was a good game.

Dr. G. H. Farquharson who owns the store occupied by S. K. Williams had the structure painted last week a very color. It really looks attractive now.

Frank McKay, Jr. who is teaching school at Vulcan is holidaying in town visiting relatives and friends. Frank is a good musician and singer and Sunday evening sang in the United Church.

Tom Brown returned home Saturday after spending several days in Calgary where he had his tonsils removed.

Mrs. E. W. Taylor and her son Edgar left during the weekend to spend a few days visiting relatives in Turner Valley.

David McBean, who is now living in Calgary, spent a couple of days in town last week. Dave thinks city life is alright and Mrs. McBean likes it fine. Mr. McBean is talking about taking a trip to the Old Country some time this year and says he has not been home for forty years.

The United Church

Services:

Arrowwood 11 a.m. Sunday school session during sermon period.

Cluny: Sunday school 1 p.m. Service 2 p.m.

Gleichen Sunday school 11 a.m. Service 7:30 p.m.

A. D. Pringle, Minister.

Lessons from the Emmaus Road will be the sermon subject at the United Church services at Arrowwood, Cluny and Gleichen on April 24th.

The recently elected elders will be formally ordained and inducted at the Gleichen United Church service next Sunday.

The Christian Culture Committee will be in charge of the programme for the Young People's Union meeting at the Bauman's home next Sunday evening.

The "Western Commander", a paper that circulates in the armed forces has the following to say of the local 122 Battery, R.C.A.:

One of the greatest recruiting jobs during the past year has been carried out by 122 Battery, 68 LAA Regt. R.C.A. when it enlisted 25 new members in one week. The battery is stationed at Gleichen and is under the command of Major Luke Murray. Major Murray put in a great deal of

time reorganizing the battery and really has been very satisfactory with the surrounding country-side quick to support the unit and its activities. The battery sponsored a hockey team as one of its major means of getting people from Brooks, Bassano and Gleichen to come and see the soldiers in action. This has paid off well. Lt.-Col. J. H. Thompson, C.O. 68 LAA Regt., was very pleased with the efforts of the battery and if it keeps up its present progress will soon pass the remaining batteries in men signed up.

Alberta History

BY SENATOR GERHAW

Extracts from a speech made by Senator Gerhaw at the unveiling of the Crowfoot memorial last September.

Joseph Howe stated that "A nation preserves its records, gathers up its monuments, decorates the tombs of its illustrious dead, repairs its great public structures, fosters national pride and love of country by perpetual references to the sacrifices and glories of the past."

So we are gathered today to pay tribute to a great old-timer Canadian, Chief Crowfoot.

"In his time he was the chief of his clan and as time has passed and the nation has unfolded the nobility of his character, the wisdom of his decisions and the greatness of his human qualities has become more evident."

Could we see him to day, could he come into this gathering and take its accustomed place as leader, we would see a tall, gaunt figure, erect, with a long straight black hair.

Oh, he had great outstanding ability. He led his braves in many battles against their enemies of the plains. They always paid him the utmost loyalty and homage because he always deserved their respect and admiration.

We have said his decisions were wise. Let me give you two examples. The Sioux Indians under Sitting Bull had quarreled with the settlers across the border and declared war on the U.S.A. government.

General Custer and 1200 men came to the valley of the Little Big Horn. It is said through the night and when morning broke General Custer was lying dead a few yards away lay the body of his brother and practically the whole 1200 American soldiers were massacred. Sitting Bull and his sub chiefs, Spotted Eagle and Sweet Bird later came to Canada. Before the massacre they had asked the Blackfeet to join them promising horses, blankets, knives and white women. Some of the chiefs wanted to join the Sioux but Crowfoot's advice prevailed and they remained loyal. Had he joined, Calgary, Medicine Hat, etc., would have been destroyed. It was a wise decision.

Possibly the most important day in the history of this area was September 17th, 1877. On that day Blackfoot Treaty No. 7 was signed near where we now are.

Never before, and perhaps never again, will such a scene be witnessed in Canada.

On the south side of the river were the warriors of the Commissioner and officers of the R.N.W.M.P. There were 100 of them dressed in scarlet with their medals and decorations displayed. Chief Factor Hardisty of the Hudson Bay was there. Rev. John McDougall was there. The Blackfoot confederacy was made up of the Hogen, the Bloods and the Blackfeet proper. They were there as also were the Stoney and Sarcee. No life or blood was there. They were friendly and peaceful. In the distance, herds of shaggy bison wandered unmolested across the prairie. There was no railway closer than Manitoba.

Crowfoot was there at the height of his great career. He was cool, tactful and a great diplomat. There was much delay and hand-shaking but finally Crowfoot, with great dignity, accepted the terms. Others then agreed and as he made his mark he said, "I will be the last to sign and I will be the last to break my word."

He was tall; he was handsome; he was the very personification of grace and he made eloquent gestures in his speech. He had the natural art of the orator. Some of his sayings deserved a place in the Canadian dictionary.

Speaking of the NWMP, he said, "They have come to protect us as the fathers protect the birds from the fangs of winter."

After listening to Rev. John McDougall, placing his hand on his heart he said, "My brother, your words make me feel glad. I have listened to them with my ears and also with my heart. I believe you, there will be no war throughout the land and my people my rejoice."

Churchill, in the darkest days of the war, said, "We will fight through the shores and on its beaches. We will fight on the streets. We will fight in the hills and valleys. We will never surrender." Crowfoot said, "Though our enemies be as strong as the sun and as numerous as the stars of the heavens, yet will we protect our lodges."

He condemned the use of fire water and even said such would not take negroes with brandy.

On one occasion Father Lacombe visited the Blackfeet and held even-ings. He said, "We will fight through the camp and rugged in with war whips and gun fire. The fighting went on all night. In the early morning the Blackfeet went out into the open, holding on high the Cross of Mercy. A bullet struck his forehead and he fell down his face.

Crowfoot rushed forward and with all the power of his mighty voice shouted, "Back, you dogs, you have shot 'Great Heart'. You have killed your friend, the man of prayer."

He said, "We will fight through, St. William Van Horn gave Crowfoot a pass or key to be read. He went next to see the great cities and the way of life there.

On his death bed he thanked the government. He thanked the doctor. He asked the people to be quiet and a great hush fell over the whole camp. Even in the hour of death his words were law.

He died on April 20th, 1890. Today we honor the memory of this Chief of Chiefs, whose life was great because devoted to the welfare of others.

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You should know these danger signals. If you notice one of them in yourself it might mean that you have cancer. But if you go to your doctor immediately, the chances are that if it's cancer he will be able to treat it successfully with surgery, X-ray or radium.

EARLY CANCER CAN BE CURED IF TREATED BEFORE IT SPREADS

If you wait until you are in pain it may be too late.

LEARN TO RECOGNIZE THE SEVEN COMMON EST DANGER SIGNALS OF CANCER

1. Any sore that does not heal.
2. A lump or thickness in the breast or elsewhere.
3. Unusual bleeding or discharge.
4. Any change in a wart or mole.
5. Persistent indigestion or difficulty in swallowing.
6. Persistent hoarseness or cough.
7. Any change in normal bowel habits.

It is emphasized that these signals don't always mean cancer. Only a doctor can be sure. So go to your doctor immediately if you have any reason to suspect that you or a member of your family has cancer.

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